During 1994-95, there was a saving due to slow pace of work. The State Government cannot divert these funds earmarked for roads since the work is being carried out directly by Central Public Works Department with the funds provided by the Central Government.

Eco-Friendly Technologies

5053. SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the steps have since been taken in pursuance of the Global Environment Convention to adopt the eco-friendly technologies and for the treatment of polluting elements particularly in respect of the chemical and fertilizer industries;

(b) the expenditure incurred so far in this connection, year wise; and

(c) the progress made in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (CAPT. JAI NARAYAN PRASAD NISHAD): (a) to (c) The Government has not signed any convention by the name "Global Environment Convention". There is a proposal to set up an Indian Centre for Promotion of Cleaner Technologies with a two million dollars grant-in-aid from the World Bank for the purpose of assisting in collection, collation, and dissemination of information on clean technologies.

[Translation]

Betala National Park

5054. SHRI BRAJ MOHAN RAM: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the Sanctuaries and National Parks where Tiger Projects at undertaken;

(b) the number and the genes of the tigers in Tiger Project at Betala National Park; and

(c) the details regarding the number of tigers in the Betala National Park?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (CAPT. JAI NARAYAN PRASAD NISHAD): (a) A list of Tiger Project areas indicating the National Parks and Sanctuaries covered by them is given in enclosed statement.

(b) and (c) According to 1995 Tiger Census, there are 47 tigers in Palamau Tiger Reserve which covers Betala National Prak and Betala Wildlife Sanctuary. Out of these, 30 tigers are reported in Betala National Park. Genetically, these tigers belong to the species Panthera tigris tigris.

STATEMENT

List of Tiger Reserves comprising National Parks and Sanctuaries

S. No.	Name of the Tiger Reserves	Name of National Park	Name of Sanctuary
1	2	3	4
1.	Bandipur (Karnataka)	Bandipur N.P.	—
2.	Corbett (Uttar Pradesh)	Corbett N.P.	—
3.	Kanha (Madhya Pradesh)	Kanha N.P.	—
4.	Manas (Assam)	Manas N.P.	Manas W.L.S.
5.	Melghat (Maharashtra)	Gugamal N.P.	Melghat W.L.S.
6.	Palamau (Bihar)	Betala N.P.	Betala W.L.S.
7.	Ranthambhore (Rajasthan)	Ranthambhore N.P.	Keladevi W.L.S.
8.	Simlipal (Orissa)	Simlipal N.P.	Simlipal W.L.S.
9.	Sunderbans (West Bengal)	Sunderban N.P.	Sajnekhali W.L.S.
10.	Periyar (Kerala)	Periyar N.P.	Periyar W.L.S.
11.	Sariska (Rajasthan)	Sariska N.P.	Sariska W.L.S.
12.	Buxa (West Bengal)	Buxa N.P.	Buxa W.L.S.
13.	Indravati (Madhya Pradesh)	Indravati N.P.	—
14.	Nagarjunsagar (Andhra Pradesh)	—	Nagarjunsagar W.L.S.
15.	Namdapha (Arunachal Pradesh)	Namdapha N.P.	—
16.	Dudhwa (Uttar Pradesh)	Dudhwa N.P.	Kishanpur W.L.S.
17.	Kalakad-Mundanthurai (Tamil Nadu)	—	Kalakad W.L.S. Rs. Mundanthurai W.L.S.
18.	Valmiki (Bihar)	Valmiki N.P.	Valmiki W.L.S.